

Amendment No. 1 to SB0884

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 884*

House Bill No. 1073

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 33-6-201, is amended designating the present language as subsection (a) and further amended by adding the following new subdivision to subsection (a):

() An individual acting as an agent under the Tennessee Health Care Decisions Act, Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 18 or an individual designated as a surrogate under TCA § 68-11-1806(a).

And further amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 33-6-201, by adding the following as a new subsection:

(b) An individual's surrogate as designated under § 68-11-1806(c) may also apply for such admission provided no person may be admitted by a surrogate under this subsection for more than twenty-one (21) consecutive days unless a petition has been filed pursuant to title 33, chapter 6, part 5, or unless an individual who meets any of the criteria set out in subdivisions (a)(1)-(7) of this section applies for voluntary admission subsequent to an application by a surrogate for voluntary admission under this section.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 33-6-206(a), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

() An individual acting as an agent under the Tennessee Health Care Decisions Act, Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 18 or a person's surrogate as designated under title 68, chapter 11, part 18.

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SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-224, is amended by deleting the last sentence of subdivision (j)(4).

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 33-3-104, is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

() An individual acting as an agent under the Tennessee Health Care Decisions Act, Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 18 or a person's surrogate as designated under title 68, chapter 11, part 18.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013, the public welfare requiring it.